

May Be a New Big Wild West Show
DENVER, Jan. 4.—Col. William F. Cody (Buffalo Bill), much improved in health, is in Glenwood Springs today, where he will rest up a few days before tackling a show deal. The Colonel declared arrangements have been practically completed for launching of another "Wild West" show, the largest of its kind.

SORE BACK, LUMBAGO
And for all Muscular Pain
Radway's
LINIMENT
"STOPS PAIN" INSTANTLY
Ready
"RUB IT ON,"
"RUB IT IN"
IT DOES NOT BLISTER
Relief
All Druggists
25c, 50c

NEW LEGISLATION AT ALBANY STRIKES AT BIG INTERESTS

Corporation and 'Movie' Taxes
and Prohibition Measure
Will Bring on Fights.

RIOT IN "EXPENSES."

\$1,200,000 Wanted to Cover
Travelling Charges of Em-
ployees of the State.

By Samuel M. Williams.
(Special Staff Correspondent of The
Evening World.)
ALBANY, Jan. 4.—Six proposi-

tions for important changes in State laws affecting vast interests will bring to Albany this winter the biggest lobbies the Capitol has seen in many a year. It promises to be a season of temptation for legislators, with prospects of easy money and luring inducements for even the most rigid and unapproachable reformers.

These are the measures and the interests they affect:

1—Taxation of manufacturing corporations, which ten thousand big and little companies will fight.

2—Special taxation of the moving picture business. Lawyers, lobbyists and "inducements" without limit are expected to storm the Legislature in opposition.

3—Establishment of a new food and market system to regulate food business and reduce the cost of living. The meat packers, cold storage men and food monopolists of every kind will have their agents in the Capitol.

4—Prohibition and local option measures, supported by allied temperance organizations, and fought by distillery, brewery and hotel interests.

5—Senator George Thompson's bill to put "teeth" in the public service commission law, against which street railway, gas and electric lobbyists will rally in full force.

6—Plans to reorganize on a sound actuarial basis the many pension funds of municipalities which will affect the armies of public office holders.

PLAN NEW TAXES AND REVISION OF OLD ONES.

Two plans for taxing manufacturing corporations are being prepared. Senator Mills proposes an income tax of 2 or 3 per cent. on the net profits, in return for which some of the present corporation tax laws would be repealed. President Saxo of the State Tax Commission proposes a franchise tax on capital. There is

general agreement that manufacturing corporations should be made to bear more of their share of contribution to State revenues.

Senator Brown, leader of the majority, said to-day that it is imperative that the State should find new sources of revenue to help distribute the burdens of taxation more equitably and to prevent as much as possible direct State taxes on realty and personal property, against which the public protests so vigorously.

For this same reason the moving picture industry will be examined by a legislative committee to determine what form of tax can be laid upon it.

An innovation in taxation is the action of the State Commission extending the range of State authority under the sea out to the three-mile limit to include cables of telegraph companies in assessment of special franchise taxes. This added property would accrue directly to New York City's benefit. Vigorous protest is made by the Western Union, Postal Telegraph and other cable companies against this attempt.

It is understood that another large boost is to be made this year by the Tax Commission on special franchise assessments, so the franchise holding corporations of New York City will have to pay still more for their profitable use of public streets.

DEVIANT PLANS FOR SPENDING ALSO UNDER WAY.

While one branch of the State Government is striving to increase revenues, by far a larger part goes on with deviant plans to spend more and more money. An analysis of the budget estimates submitted by the Governor for the next fiscal year for \$65,000,000 of expenditures, an increase of \$6,000,000 over the present year, shows many methods by which public funds are extravagantly thrown about.

For example, the budget demands \$1,200,000 for travelling expenses of State employees, or at the rate of \$100,000 per month. Every executive department and every kind of institution calls for thousands of dollars for railroad

fare and hotel bills. It is indeed a humble employee who cannot find excuse for a junketing trip to New York, or through the State, in Pullman cars, with a pleasant stay at costly hotels.

This travel item does not include automobile trips through the country or fine limousines to carry higher officials between their homes and offices. With all the boasting of Governor and legislative committee about their illuminating budgets purporting to show where every penny of public money goes, there cannot be found in any of the huge volumes a single reference to an automobile or a chauffeur. These two words nowhere appear in print. The wasteful extravagance is carefully concealed, although every one knows that scores of automobiles paid for by the State are in daily use for private convenience.

Another wasteful State expense is found in the item of \$500,000 for communication, which means telephone, telegraph and express charges. Every State department has its private telephone installation, with high paid operators, and everybody uses the wire from Buffalo to New York regardless of expense. The huge Capitol at Washington has a single switchboard, but in the Capitol at Albany there are a score of them.

PRINTING WASTE AND ADVERTISING SUBSIDIES LARGE.

Total printing bills for the State are estimated by the Governor at \$1,600,000, of which \$1,000,000 is chargeable to the legislators' extravagant use of public funds. Departments and institutions will spend the remaining \$600,000. An interesting item is that the Governor's mansion gets an allowance of \$1,000 per year for printing, which means fine stationery, and his office \$7,500 more.

The advertising paid passed out to numerous publications, much of it no more than mere subsidy, amounts to \$500,000 a year.

As for jobs and salary increases, the hungry politicians are clamoring for \$10,000 more than last year, but the Governor cuts them down to \$2,000,000. What the Legislature will do on this score remains to be seen when the appropriations bills are finally made up.

There are far more costly raids on the State treasury than on the Mexican border. The troops are more needed on Capitol Hill than on the Rio Grande, to repel attacks by political bandits and the black horse cavalry.

WEARY GIRL REELS, BUT NOT IN MOVIES

Bronx School Miss Had Ambition
and Tramped All Over
Yonkers.

Little Margaret Dorman was until this afternoon the most mysterious girl the Yonkers police had seen in many a day. Policeman Herring found her at midnight leaning against a telegraph pole at Yonkers and Walnut Streets, a lonesome part of town. She was resting, not crying. To all of Herring's questions she made one answer:

"Sh-h-h! I'm a mystery."
He took her to the Shelter of the Children's Society for the night and there she steadfastly refused to tell anything about herself. She is fourteen years old, very pretty, with large dark eyes and a great mass of black curls. To City Judge Beall this afternoon she said: "For more than a year I have wanted to be a movie actress. Yesterday I left Public School No. 46 in the Bronx and came to Yonkers to get a position. I tried six studios, but they all put me off. I had ten dimes from my bank; so I bought supper and went to a show and walked till I was tired." She will be sent to her home, No. 809 St. Nicholas Avenue.

VILLA PREPARING TO RULE.

Picks Officials and Seat of Government, El Paso Hears.

EL PASO, Tex., Jan. 4.—Adherents of Francisco Villa are already arranging details of a Mexican provisional government to be set up by the bandit chief, officials have been appointed to write laws and a tentative seat of government has been chosen, according to information in the hands of United States authorities here to-day.

Heavy fighting is still in progress at Huerfano, about thirty miles south of Chihuahua City, according to reports obtained to-day by Federal Department agents.

All Eastern Navy Yards Paying Advanced Wages.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—Wage scales in all Atlantic Coast navy yards have been increased for the year 1917, according to trade ratings announced to-day by the Navy Department. These ratings were recommended by the boards which investigated the wages paid in private industries in the vicinity of the respective yards and approved by the Secretary of the Navy. The increases range from 5 to 48 cents a day.

Girl Hurt by Subway Door.

Myrtle Baldwin, twenty-one years old of No. 172 West Ninety-seventh Street, was struck by the side door of a south-bound subway car while attempting to board a train at the Fourteenth Street station to-day. She was removed to Bellevue Hospital suffering from bruises on the right side of body and possible internal injuries.

"Carbon"
Pencil
No. 113
That black,
fat-leaded, soft,
bold-marking
Carbon
Pencil
At all dealers
5c each—5c
The Venus Pencil Factory
220 Fifth Avenue - New York

RAILROADS CUT OFF PASSES.

No More for Friends of Tennessee and Kentucky Lawmakers.

NASHVILL, Tenn., Jan. 4.—With the assembling of the Tennessee Legislature, the Louisville and Nashville and the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis Railroad announced to-day that hereafter no free passes would be issued through legislators for constituents.

Figures produced by Interstate Commerce Commission investigators at a hearing last April showed that in one year more than 22,000 passes, with a cash value of \$226,000, were issued by

the two roads, most of them at the request of members of the Tennessee and Kentucky Legislatures.

Hudson Heads Cuba Railway.

Charles R. Hudson, formerly connected with the National Railways of Mexico, and regarded as a statistical expert on Latin-American railroading, industry and finance, is on his way to Camaguey, Cuba, to become Vice President and General Manager of the Cuba Railway. Mr. Hudson rose from the position of telegraph operator. No successor has been named for his former post.

AN OPTIMIST.
(From the Kansas City Star.)
A citizen of Arkansas, protruding

his head from the muzzle of his cyclone cave, beheld his domicile demolished by a tornado, and far and wide the fragments strewn the landscape. "Aw, well," he philosophically remarked, "it was just about house cleaning time, anyhow!"

FOR THROAT AND LUNGS STUBBORN COUGHS AND COLDS

**Eckman's
Alterative**

FOR SALE BY LIQUOR'S RIKER-
ECKMAN STORES AND OTHER LEAD-
ING DRUGGISTS

Founded 1826

Greeley 1900

Lord & Taylor

38th Street

FIFTH AVENUE

39th Street

The First Special Sale

This Season of

Lord & Taylor

Men's Winter Suits

Commences Tomorrow, Friday

Every characteristic of Lord & Taylor Clothing merit stands forth in these Suits to make this Sale the most notable event of the Winter. The substantial weaves, colorful patterns, perfect tailoring and style precedence are all in evidence; for these are Suits from our regular stock exclusively. Not since our August Clearance have Lord & Taylor Suits been offered at a reduction in prices. A sale such as this is manifestly of infrequent occurrence—therefore is the opportunity of the greater import.



All Suits
from our
regular stock
which have
been selling
this season
\$25.00 to
\$30.00
on sale
Tomorrow
\$21.00

All Suits
from our
regular stock
which have
been selling
this season
\$35.00 to
\$40.00
on sale
Tomorrow
\$26.00

There Will Be No Charge for Alterations
An early selection is most urgently advised

Fourth Floor

1,100 PAIRS MEN'S SHOES

At Greatly Reduced Prices

Tomorrow and Saturday

500 Pairs Boots

\$5.50

Formerly \$7.00

Dark tan Russia Calf Lace;
black Russia Calf; English lasts.

600 Pairs Boots

\$5.85

Formerly \$7.00, \$8.00 & \$10.00

A variety of styles and leathers,
but incomplete in sizes.

Ground Floor

Excellent Values in

MEN'S FURNISHINGS

Featured Tomorrow and Saturday

Pajamas.....\$1.10

Madras and fine mercerized materials in
neat fancy stripes.

Half Hose, a pair.....28c

Lisle or silk; a large assortment of fancy
colors.

Shirts & Drawers, Each.....\$1.35

Medium weight grey merino; regular or
stout sizes in drawers.

Union Suits.....\$1.35

Egyptian ribbed balbriggan; exceptional
wearing qualities.

Ground Floor

JOHN FORSYTHE & SONS
3 West 42d Street
JANUARY SALE
WASH WAISTS
AT \$2.00
SALE NOW IN PROGRESS
No Connection With Any Other House Doing Business
Under the Name of "Forsythe"
TELEPHONE: VANDERBILT 4102

Franklin Simon & Co.

Fifth Avenue, 37th and 38th Streets

Clearance Sales—FRIDAY

During This Sale No Approvals or Credits

Women's Winter Coats

Women's Winter Coats

Of wool velour, wool plush or tweeds,
with or without fur trimming.
Heretofore \$25.00 to \$39.50

18.50

Women's Fur Trimmed Coats

Of wool velour, Bolivia vicuna, Sherland velour,
broaddcloth or mannish fabrics.
Heretofore \$39.50 to \$59.50

25.00

Women's Fur Trimmed Coats

Of vicuna velour, in gold, Burgundy,
castor, brown, green or taupe.
Heretofore \$49.50 to \$59.50

39.50

Women's High Class Coats

Of Bolivia, cashmere velour, suede velour, broad-
cloth, chiffon velvet or velvet velour, fur trimmed.
Heretofore \$79.50 to \$115.00

59.50

Women's High-Class Coats

Afternoon, Travel or Street Models
Of genuine Bolivia, velour cloth, broadcloth, cashmere
de laine, velveteen or velvet velour;
with or without fur trimmings.

45.00

Heretofore \$59.50 to \$89.50

Women's Luxurious Wraps

Of Chiffon Velvet, Fur Trimmed
Model Evening Wraps, mostly one of a kind, of highest
grade chiffon velvet, in black and all the fash-
ionable evening shades, fur trimmed.

85.00

Heretofore \$125.00 to \$165.00

WILL CLOSE OUT FRIDAY

Afternoon or Evening Gowns

Women's afternoon gowns of crepe meteor, Georgette
or charmeuse. Evening gowns of satin or French net.

18.50

Heretofore \$39.50 to \$49.50

WILL CLOSE OUT FRIDAY

Women's Fur Trimmed Suits

Of wool velour or broadcloth, in navy, black and all
fashionable shades; richly fur trimmed.

25.00

Heretofore \$39.50 to \$59.50

Georgette Crepe Waists

In White, Flesh or Colors
Of Georgette crepe, in white, flesh, maize,
navy, green, taupe, brown or burgundy.

4.50

Heretofore \$5.75 to \$9.75

Women's Separate Skirts

Sport, Walking or Dress Skirts
Of novelty plaids, checks, serge, broadcloth,
corduroy, velvet or velveteen.

5.00

Heretofore \$7.50 to \$10.75

Annual Corset Sale—FRIDAY

Women's "Parfait" and "Helene" Corsets

"Parfait" Corsets, for slight figures

Of pink or white grenadine, very low bust,
slightly boned.
Heretofore \$4.00

2.50

"Parfait" Corsets, for medium or full figures

Of white broche, with pink or white polka dots;
low bust, medium length skirt, straight hip and
back.
Heretofore \$7.50

3.75

"Parfait" Corsets, for medium or full figures

Of white imported coutil, low bust,
extremely long skirt.
Heretofore \$12.00

6.50

Paris-Made "Helene" Corsets

For medium or full figures, made of white French
coutil, low or medium bust, long hips and back.
Heretofore \$12.75

7.50